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SUBJ: YAQUB LEATHER INDUSTRIES PROJECT

1. GENESCO HAS JUST RECEIVED A CABLE FROM YAQUB STATING THAT GOA HAS PROHIBITED EXPORT OF YAQUB SEMI-FINISHED LEATHER PRODUCTS AND WILL ONLY PERMIT EXPORT OF FINISHED LEATHER. APPLICATION FOR GOA APPROVAL OF INVESTMENT IN YAQUB STATED THAT INITIAL PRODUCTION WOULD BE OF SEMI-FINISHED LEATHER ONLY WITH A GRADUAL SHIFT TO FINISHED LEATHER. SPECIFIC EXPORT EXPECTATIONS OF BOTH FINISHED AND SEMI-FINISHED LEATHER FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF OPERATION WERE CLEARLY AND NUMERICALLY STATED AND GENESCO AND YAQUB BELIEVE THESE CAN BE MET BU FINISHED LEATHER WILL BE POSSIBLE ONLY IN LATTER PART OF THE YEAR WHEN PERSONNEL TRAINING HAS BEEN COMPLETED.

2. REQUEST EMBASSY CHECK SITUATION WITH BOTH YAQUBS AND APPROPRIATE GOA OFFICIALS. OPIC IS CONCERNED OVER POSSIBILITY OF RECURRENT OBSTACLES TO SMOOTH PROJECT OPERATION. FAILURE TO RESOLVE COULD PREVENT CLOSING OF OPIC LOAN. KISSINGER
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